

MARSHFIELD.

Who sold the woodchuck with a slit tongue?

Miss Debby Long has been making a visit with her friends in Boston.

The first Congregational Church is being repaired and frescoed inside.

Leonard Baker is having a large and handsome veranda built around his house.

A bounty of 35 cents for crows commenced the 13th inst. to last till the 15th of June.

How much skin milk does it take to make a gallon? [Ask Brockton people.]

A reduction of about so per cent in the price of tickets on the O. C. R. took effect May 15th.

Dudley R. Childs, who occupied the Ames' cottage at Roxbury Terrace last summer, died at Oakland, Cal., the 12th inst.

It was a hard day, but it did not succeed in putting up so strong a will as that of the late Mrs. Weatherbee of Greenwich.

The valuable farm belonging to the estate of the late Albert Tirrell was sold at auction last Monday for the sum of \$2,500, to Bradford Blanchard of this place. Mr. Tirrell expended in improving the land and in building the sum of \$8,000. The place is assessed by the town for \$7,000, and is one of the first farms of the town.

C. H. Chandler & Co.'s grocery store situated in West Duxbury, and commonly known as "Mack's Store" was discovered on the 16th by Mr. John Simons about ten p. m. on the night of May 17th. Mr. S. aroused the neighbors and the proprietor. The fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to save any of the goods or even the account books.

The loss on building and stock was estimated at \$4,000. Insured for \$3,500. Mack will probably rebuild and continue the business on the same site.

RIPPLES ALONG SHORE.

The Harlow girls are making quite an addition to their sea shore collection. The family of John McDuffie of Cambridge will occupy the Taylor cottage, Green Harbor, this season.

Dr. Damarsville's family of New York and that of W. Parsons of Cambridge, will occupy the cottages of J. Winslow Cole.

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A dance was enjoyed by the young folks in Roger's Hall on Friday last under the auspices of the Scituate Harbor boys, who were out some ten dollars we hear, after paying expenses.

Chit Rodgers has so far recovered from his long and severe attack of erysipelas that he is able to walk out of doors without the use of a cane. We are glad to see him riding out again.

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The Orthodox society of which Rev. Dr. Lane is the pastor, are painting, cleaning and otherwise beautifying the interior of their church. In the meantime the Unitarians kindly offered them the use of their church, Sunday afternoons while the repairs are going on. An old fashioned sermon was delivered by Dr. Lane in said church and some old fashioned hymns sung by a select choir.

SEA VIEW.

Dr. Albert Dittle and wife of New York were in town last week. The Dr. left orders for repairs on his house here.

Mrs. Percy Douglas of Rockland is visiting her father, Mr. John Creed.

A car load of furniture for Hotel Hanover arrived last Friday. It is expected that the carpets will be laid and furnishing completed early in June.

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The next in order was the house of Mr. Seth Foster, who was every indication that a persistent attempt was made to force an entrance. The first effort was to force the back door open by the means of some kind of a bar, but failing in this, a side door was unlocked by means of pinches, after entering, they unlocked the door first tried, also another door and two windows, with the seeming intention of affording every chance of escape, and after all their troubles they were driven out of the house by Mr. Foster's dog Leo. All the doors were left open and thus they were found by Mr. Ben Foster in the morning which was the first they knew of midnight visitors. Mr. Foster does not want to sell his dog.

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There was an addition put on to the house of Mr. Nathan Cushing was also entered but upon one of the inmates being aroused and calling out the burglars lit out with 75 cents. On entering the house occupied by the young members of the family, it was discovered that they had been thoroughly overhauled, but as they have not yet taken up their residence there for the summer nothing was obtained. The front door of the house of Rev. W. H. Fish was unlocked but owing to extra fastenings they did not effect an entrance. The keys of a number of other houses indicated that they had been tampered with. So now with our neighbors we have had a genuine sensation in the burglar line, but that like every other plague is hard to tell where it will break out next, but certainly a large amount of work must have been done in a short space of time. Now how easy is it for any one to tell what they would have done under similar circumstances, but no one can tell unless they have been through the mill, for it is no fool of a job to be started out of a sound sleep and find a burglar paying you a visit. Deputy Sheriff Torrey was soon on the hill and paid a visit to the houses that had been entered but, as yet no clew has been discovered. All in, saying that like last summer's visitors to the neighboring towns, the burglars possessed a fast team and drove off at a lively gait.

CHURCH HILL.

The entertainment given by the High School of Hanover was not as successful as previous ones given.

The fair of the Star of the East Division held in their hall the 17th and 18th was a success. They cleared between \$30 and \$40.

A grey eagle was shot near the tack factory Saturday, measuring 5 feet, 6 inches from tip to tip. It was given to the police by Dr. Henry Farrar, who is going to have it skinned.

HARMONIA.

Guitar.

Which was well received by all present, as was also the singing by the Gudewey Sisters, Lucy, Elvira and Annie. Other music was furnished by the Bryantown quartette. A snug little sum of money was added to their funds. Another concert was to be given on the 21st of May.

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SOUTH SCITUATE.

The fair held by the ladies interested in the Star of the East was a success, and largely attended. A large number of persons drove from different parts of the town to attend. The following is a list of ladies attending the tables: Mrs. Emma Talbot, Mrs. Rhoda Lee, Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Rhoda Winslow, Mrs. Annie Winslow. The musical entertainment was very fine and quite novel, consisting of an orchestra of Mr. Emery Winslow, Chas. Edmunds, Mrs. Winslow, and Mr. Winslow. Which was well received by all present, as was also the singing by the Gudewey Sisters, Lucy, Elvira and Annie. Other music was furnished by the Bryantown quartette.

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MEMORIAL DAY.—May 30th, 1883.

HEADQUARTERS JOSEPH E. WILDER

Post 82, Dept. of Mass.,

G. A. R. of Hanover.

The comrades will assemble at Aspinwall at 9 o'clock A. M. 9.45 A. M. a. decoration of graves at Aspinwall in connection with Post 112 of South Scituate, 10 A. M. Post will take up its line of march from Aspinwall to the Town Hall through Main street, 12 M. collation at Town Hall, 1.45 P. M. decoration of graves at Centre Hanover and services at the monument.

3 P. M. exercises in Town Hall consisting of addresses by the clergymen of the town and others, and appropriate selections by the band, singing, reading, &c. Music for the day, South Hanover band.

The entire arrangements for the collection, also collecting of wreaths and flowers will be in charge of a committee selected by the Post.

All sailors and soldiers in town not at present enrolled in the G. A. R. are earnestly requested to join with the Post in the exercises of the day, also to attend services at the Second Congregational church, May 27th, at 7 o'clock.

W. R. Howes, Commander.

M. V. Bowes, Adjutant.

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